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Welcome to PATHWORKS for Windows 95

Thank you for purchasing the PATHWORKS client software that is specifically designed for use with Microsoft Corporation's newest desktop operating system, Windows 95. Digital's initial release of its PATHWORKS software for Windows 95 desktops focuses on connectivity, giving Windows 95 users fast and easy access to PATHWORKS environments.

This release of PATHWORKS software for Windows 95 platforms provides:

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- Easy access to your PATHWORKS servers through a **new protected mode** version of Digital's PC-based DECnet network transport. This transport was designed specifically for use with Windows 95 desktops, so that additional PC conventional memory is now available for other applications. You can also use Windows 95's TCP/IP, NetBEUI, and IPX/SPX network transports. With PATHWORKS DECnet transport, you'll have a wide variety of the most popular network services and utilities to provide you with enterprise-wide integration.
 - Access to the Internet's World Wide Web. PATHWORKS Mosaic, a powerful graphical navigation tool for the Internet, is included for your "surfing" needs on the Internet's World Wide Web or on your own private webs -- with no administrator involvement.

- Easy access to host-based applications. The PATHWORKS VT320 terminal emulator gives you access to time-sharing systems and server-based applications. New, protected mode versions of LAT, CTERM, and Telnet communications protocols (for use with terminal emulation applications) are also included.
- Easy access to product documentation. The PATHWORKS documentation is available through the Windows 95 Help engine so you access this documentation in the same way you do Windows 95 documentation. The Help engine also offers you the option of printing the documents if you prefer hardcopy documentation.
- Easy access to PATHWORKS monitoring tools. Utilities and tools designed to help you monitor your PATHWORKS network are available from within the Windows 95 System Monitor. This means you can have access to all your networks' statistics in one easy step.

Stay tuned for future releases.

This is only the beginning of PATHWORKS support for the Windows 95 desktop. This initial release provides you with the connectivity transports, applications, and utilities you need to get started with Windows 95. The PATHWORKS group is actively developing additional PATHWORKS features for this new desktop operating system.

Licensing Requirements

The right to use this release of PATHWORKS client software designed for Windows 95 desktops, and referred to as "PATHWORKS V1.0A for Windows 95," is included with any of the following licenses for "PATHWORKS V6.0 for DOS and Windows" software:

- PATHWORKS V6.0 for DOS and Windows (LAN Manager) CCS
- PATHWORKS V6.0 for DOS and Windows (NetWare) CCS
- PATHWORKS V6.0 for DOS and Windows CNS

Refer to your PATHWORKS V6.0 for DOS and Windows Software Product Description (55.07.16) "DIGITAL LICENSE AGREEMENTS for PATHWORKS Programs" section for a complete description of the terms and limited warranty associated with this software.

Ensure that you have loaded the appropriate Product Authorization Keys (PAKs) into your PATHWORKS License Management Facility prior to installing this software.

System Requirements

PATHWORKS for Windows 95 requires the following minimum hardware and software configuration:

- 80386DX 25MHz PC with 8MB of memory and 10MB available disk space
- Windows 95 software
- Windows 95 Supported Ethernet, Token Ring, or FDDI Network Adapter and Driver

Notes:

- Ethernet and FDDI adapters must also support a software-configurable network address using the NetworkAddress keyword.
- If using an existing version of PATHWORKS with Windows 95, you must remove it using the Network Control Panel before installing PATHWORKS for Windows 95.
- PATHWORKS for Windows 95 cannot be installed with components from previous versions of PATHWORKS client software.

Server Support

PATHWORKS for Windows 95 can access the file and print services of:

- PATHWORKS for OpenVMS (LAN Manager) V5.0 on VAX or Alpha systems
- PATHWORKS V1.0 for OpenVMS (NetWare) on VAX or Alpha systems
- PATHWORKS V5.0 for Digital UNIX (LAN Manager and NetWare) on Alpha systems
- PATHWORKS for OS/2 V1.1, V2.0, V2.0B server software on Intel systems
- Microsoft LAN Manager-based V2.2 compatible servers
- Microsoft Windows NT Server on Intel and Alpha systems
- Novell NetWare-based V2.15, V2.2, V3.12, V4.x and compatible servers on Intel systems

Installing PATHWORKS for Windows 95

To install the PATHWORKS software for Windows 95 platforms, insert the CD-ROM into your CD-ROM drive and follow the instructions on the screen.

Be sure to read the release notes for the latest product information.

You can also run the PATHWORKS installation directly from the CD-ROM by entering:

D: \SETUP.EXE

where D: is the drive letter for your CD-ROM.

The contents of the CD-ROM can also be shared or copied to a network file service and installed from there. Please see the Windows 95 help for additional information on sharing and using network resources.

To start PATHWORKS for Windows 95:

Click on the Start button. Choose Programs. Choose PATHWORKS.

NOTE: If you are using PATHWORKS on DOS, Windows, or Windows for Workgroups, use the other CD-ROM in your kit and follow those instructions.

PATHWORKS Information on CompuServe



Digital's DECPCI and DECNIDEV Forums on CompuServe keep you in touch with the latest PATHWORKS information 24 hours a day. The DECPCI Forum is focused on end users of our products while the DECNIDEV Forum is dedicated to technical support of software developers and their business questions. PATHWORKS users, developers, and support specialists will answer your questions on a best effort basis.

The DECNIDEV Forum provides technical support for software developers along with current and future product information. It keeps you informed of Digital's integrated network system software strategies and plans so that you can use this information for strategic purposes.

As a Digital customer, you're entitled to a free introductory one month membership to CompuServe including a \$15 (U.S.) introductory usage credit to explore Digital's DECPCI and DECNIDEV Forums, and CompuServe's other offerings.

If you are already a CompuServe member, enter GO DECPCI to access the Digital PC Integration Forum on CompuServe. Enter GO DECNIDEV to access Digital's Business Partner Forum for Network Integration Software Developers (or choose item 2 from the GO DEC menu).

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Read this booklet for important information about installing and using your PATHWORKS product.